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Dr. J. W. L. GLAISHER, M.A., F.R.S., PRESIDENT, in the Chair.

Professor W. W. Campbell, Director of the Lick Observatory, San José, California, U.S.A.;

Professor J. Scheiner, Astrophysical Observatory, Potsdam, Germany; and

M. Ch. Trépied, Director of the Observatory, Algiers,

were balloted for and duly elected Associates of the Society.

Spencer Lavington Fletcher, 38 Lammas Park Road, Ealing, W.; and

Professor Monroe B. Snyder, Director of the Observatory, Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.A.,

were balloted for and duly elected Fellows of the Society.

The following candidates were proposed for election as Fellows of the Society, the names of the proposers from personal knowledge being appended:—

Ashton Charles Allen, 34 Kensington Palace Mansions, De Vere Gardens, W. (proposed by Rev. C. D. P. Davies);

John Hind Bell, Nautical Almanac Office, 3 Verulam Buildings, Gray's Inn, W.C. (proposed by A. M. W. Downing);

Walter Ernest Besley (H.M. Civil Service), 75 The Chase, Clapham Common, S.W. (proposed by F. W. Levander);

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James Henry Booth, F.R.G.S., Schoolmaster, 32 Sunny Road, Southport (proposed by William Banks);

Arthur Thomas Cooper, A.M.Inst.E.E., Rivernook, De Montford Island, Reading (proposed by C. Hutchinson);

Joseph Alfred Hardcastle, 38 Eaton Square, S.W. (proposed $\overline{\text{by H. H. Turner}}$;

Charles Sumner Howe, Ph.D., Professor of Astronomy, Case Observatory, Cleveland, Ohio, U.S.A. (proposed by Ambrose Swasey);

William Gylby Hutchinson, Rock Lodge, Roker, Sunderland (proposed by C. Hutchinson);

G. F. Johns, Perth Observatory, Western Australia (proposed by W. E. Cooke);

James William Lowber, M.A., Sc.D., Ph.D., LL.D., F.R.G.S., F.R. Met. Soc., 113 East 18th Street, Austin, Texas, U.S.A. (proposed by Captain M. C. Hepworth);

H. Krauss Nield, Thorold Grove, Sale, Cheshire (proposed by

Samuel Chatwood);

Captain Michael Joseph O'Sullivan, Board of Trade Surveyor, 66 Fern Grove, Hartington Road, Sefton Park, Liverpool (proposed by H. G. Quirk);

Charles Tallent Spencer, A.M.Inst.C.E., La Quinta, Lyon Road, Harrow (proposed by A. G. Fowler); and

The Vicarage, Rev. Charles Lakeman Tweedale, M.A., Weston, near Ottley (proposed by R. Wilding).

One hundred and ninety-one presents were announced as having been received since the last meeting, including amongst others :—

Tycho Brahe, De Nova Stella (facsimile edition), presented by the R. Academy of Sciences, Copenhagen; Harvard Annals, vol. 28, part 2 (spectra of bright southern stars), presented by the Observatory; Lick Observatory Publications, vol. 5 (Hussey's measures of double stars), presented by the Observatory; Observations of the total eclipse of 1898 January 22, presented by Sir N. Lockyer; Atlas photographique de la lune, par MM. Loewy et Puiseux, presented by the Paris Observatory; Carte photographique du Ciel (22 charts), presented by the Paris Observatory; Annals of the Astrophysical Observatory of the Smithsonian Institution, vol. 1, presented by the Institution; Photographs of the great Comet of 1901, presented by the Perth Observatory, Western Australia.